February 2021 News

RARITAN VALLEY ARTS ASSOCIATION

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This month's Newsletter is all about virtual endeavors-exhibits, live lectures, live studio visits, video demos, etc. Feel free to send me links to your favorite artistic diversions for future issues.

Member News

Nancy Boney's mixed media piece, "Protection," is on view in the Frontline Arts 47th Annual Members' Show through March 12.



https://www.frontlinearts.org/current-exhibition-47th-annual-members-exhibition

Send Your News!

Are you showing in an exhibit? Will you be teaching a class or workshop? Do you want to share your Instagram account or recommend artists to follow? Include a link for more info and maybe a picture too. You can stipulate if you'd like to be mentioned in the Newsletter, on Facebook, or both!

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Upcoming/Ongoing Exhibits

The 2021 International Juried Exhibition at the **Center for Contemporary Art** continues through February 27. https://ccabedminster.org/enjoy/current-exhibitions/

The **Garden State Watercolor Society** has posted the prospectus for its 2021 Members' Exhibition. The entry period is now open until February 19. https://www.gswcs.org/

Peter's Valley is accepting applications from artists for its Spring Virtual Craft Market happening in May. Applications are due by February 18. https://petersvalley.org/craft-fair-exhibitor-info/

The Rockland Arts Festival (New York) is a virtual, month-long event in April. Entries are due March 1. See info and application here: https://www.rocklandartsfestival.org/application

Artsy Things To Do

The Center or Contemporary Art is hosting a series of live, virtual studio visits, beginning February 18. Members can register to attend for free. The links appear to only be available through an email sent by the CCA and on their Facebook page. If you have not received this email and are interested, please contact them directly. This is the link for the first Studio Visit:

https://reg125.imperisoft.com/ContemporaryArt/ProgramDetail/3731393630/Registration.as

The Princeton Art Museum's free, live lecture, "Losing Picasso: The Challenges of Condensing a Life," happens at 5:30 pm on February 18. See description and register here: https://artmuseum.princeton.edu/calendar/2021-02/lecture-losing-picasso-challenges-condensing-life

Peter's Valley jewelry artist, **Donald Friedlich**, will hold a free webinar about his work on February 24. Register here: https://petersvalley.org/event/7217/

Artists on Film and Demos

Peter Brown is a plein air painter who works in oils. Some free videos can be seen here: https://www.peterbrownneac.com/videos/

Jane Duke is a printmaker with several process videos:

https://www.janeduke.com/videos.html

Matt White is a watercolorist who offers monthly demos on his website for a fee.

https://www.mwhiteart.com/ I follow him on Twitter where he often posts work, and occasionally, free demos. This winter street scene demo was posted on our Facebook page. Link to free Youtube video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QN4ZscaKTK8&feature=youtu.be&fbclid=lwAR2jHrUcX tNf3U4AkZRvqFdtQO691qRuOaW0XI5jJfhjmOg1IEPJNOkGujM

James Gurney works in gouache and casein paints and has many short technique videos to get you inspired to paint. His videos on Youtube are free.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Puy-

BTy4vkg&list=PLRba1gHgLtJC7OesSnUO7VZ6tiwFLi60G&index=4

Please direct any membership inquiries to:

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